

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. THURSDAY, JUNE 3.

The Ohio Republican Convention met at Columbus yesterday, and nominated for Governor Gen. Rutherford B. Hayes. Thos. L. Young, of Hamilton, was nominated for Lieutenant Governor. The platform declares that "the observance of Washington's example in retiring at the close of a second presidential term will be in the future, as it has been in the past, regarded as a fundamental rule in the unwritten law of the republic." It also approves the public school system and opposes any division of the school fund, declaring that there should be no connection, direct or indirect, between Church and State; that "the policy of finance creased. should be steadily pursued which, without unnecessary shock to business or trade, will ultimately equalize the purchasing capacity of the coin and paper dollar," and favoring a tariff for revenue with incidental protection to American industry. During the afternoon General Sherman, who was in the city, visited the convention by invitation and made a short speech.

The Legislature of New Hampshire met yesterday. The two Senators who were awarded certificates by the Governor and his Council were sworn in by Governor Weston. This gave the Democrate seven Senators to five Republicans. After all had been sworn in, the Democrats elected a president, the five Republicans refusing to vote. The latter then withdrew from the body, met in another room and organized with temporary officers a Senate of their own, and then adjourned. There was no trouble in the House. A resolution was offered directing the Speaker to obtain the opinion of the Judges of the Supreme Court on the contested election cases, but no action was taken. The excitement in the capitol reached a high pitch, and all the entrances were guarded by police. It is suggested that this is a fair opportunity for interference on the part of Sheridan.

The anticipated change in the route of the mails between Washington and New York is not yet an accomplished fact. The Postmaster General informs the President of the Philadelphia road that he only intended to advise President Garrett of the probable necessity of for the quarter ending June 30th. a change, giving him the reasons therefor. No | The General Synod of the Reformed Church Company to its proposition to carry the entire elected permanent officers. through mail between Washington and New York, though it is thought some definite action will soon be taken in the matter.

The Newark (N. J.) Advertiser says that Bishop Odenheimer, who arrived home last week, seems as well as ever, but his digestion is still imperfect, and his physician in London states that perfect rest until autumn is essential to the completion of his recovery, and that any effort now, in the heat of the season, might prostrate him again. His friends therefore wish it understood that he cannot safely attempt to officiate in any way this summer.

In the civil rights case in the U. S. District Court at Galveston, Texas, Tuesday, against Manager Greenwalt, of the Opera House, the judge decided that the demurrer be sustained and the indictment quashed on the grounds of the act being unconstitutional and the indictment not alleging that the complainant was a citizen of the United States. It is thought

Yesterday the Democratic-Conservative primary meetings in Baltimore city resulted in the choice of delegates in every ward of the city favorable to the nomination of Ferdinand C. Latrobe as the candidate of the party for Ross. Suspicion was aroused by the men refus-Mayor. In two wards there were two tickets, ing to spend the night in a dwelling, and watchbut both were in favor of Gen. Latrobe. The so like the photograph of the lost boy, that nominating convention meets to day, at 12 some one called him "Charley," which greatly o'clock.

Yesterday was a gala day with the Masonic fraternity of New York, the occasion being the dedication of their new Masonic Temple. It is estimated that about twenty five thousand men were in the line of procession, and the entire route wore a holiday appearance. The dedicatory exercises were participated in by high officers of the craft in this country, Cauada and

The Louisville Courier-Journal thinks it one of the peculiarities of General Sherman that "he has always been accessible to any one who desired to argue with him either orally or by letter, whether the subject might be the immunity of hen-roosts from military depredations Federal Union."

Mrs. Lang, the fortuneteller, whose exploits in Baltimore and arrest in Lancaster, Pa., have been noticed, was yesterday convicted in the Criminal Court of Baltimore city of larceny, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the city jail.

John Carroll Walsh, declines to be a candidate for the nomination of Governor of Maryland.

SUIT AGAINTT THE VALLEY RAILROAD Company in Staunton have been served with syndicate against the company for \$500,000, which includes the \$334,000 due them and the by consent, next week.

The first ounce of blood injected into Gen.

### NEWS OF THE DAY

To show the very age and body of the Times."

A violent storm occurred at Indianapolis Tuesday night, and considerable damage was done to several railroads by the washing away of small bridges and culverts, delaying the night trains. A freight train on the Bellefontaine road ran into a culvert near Oakland yesterday, wrecking seven or eight cars. The conreported to have been drowned.

In the National Temperance Convention at Chicago yesterday, Mrs. Martha B. O'Donnel, of New York, delivered an address advocating the introduction of temperance pledges in the Sunday schools. Resolutions were passed recommending that the churches provide themselves with temperance libraries, and requesting Congress to appoint a committee to inquire into the effects of alcoholic drinks in America.

The grand jury of Philadelphia has found forty-nine indletments against Robert H. Wishart, George Myers and Joshua B, Moreau, charging them with uttering forged coupons purporting to be attached to bonds of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company George F. Hilt and Lindly Smith are the wit nesses indorsed upon the backs of the bills.

Accounts from Cuba report the insurgents as having retired beyond the Trocha and the capture of the rebel Captain Manuel Sayas, who is reported to have made important revelations. The £100,000 borrowed by the Government outrages on persons and property have de-

The National Brewers' Convention met at Cincinnati yesterday, In the absence of the president, H. Clausen was appointed president pro tem. He delivered a lengthy address. He was very severe on the woman's crusade in the West, and charged the republican party with the responsibility of the temperance movement. Carl Vogt, the alleged murderer of Chevalier

Dubois De Bianco, near Brussels, Belgium. about two years ago, has been extradited at last. He sailed for Belgium on board the steamer Switzerland from New York, Tuesday, in custody of ex-Detective Phillip Farley.

Official advices from Fort Fetterman report that a large body of Sioux, Cheyenne and Arapahoe warriors are on their way up the Sweetwater for the purpose of attacking the Shasbone agency and doing damage to the settlers in that quarter.

A writ of error granted in a mandamus case in New Orleans, yesterday, will have the effect of taking the question of the constitutionality of the Louisiana Funding acts of 1874 to the Supreme Court of the United States.

The Court of Alabama Claims yesterday rendered judgment in favor of claimants for losses neurred, in the destruction of the ships Martha, Express, Sonora and Waverly by the Confed-

The committee on information and statistics of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange submit a report for the month of May, making a generally favorable showing for this year's crop. Charles K. Landis, who shot Uri Carruth,

editor of the Vineland Independent, some time since, was yesterday released on \$50,000 bail. The Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad Company have declared a dividen of 12 per cent.

answer has been received by the Pennsylvania of America met at Jersey City yesterday and

Right Rev. James A. Healy was yesterday

### consecrated Bishop of Portland, Me. Letter from Clarke Co.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] MILLWOOD, CLARKE COUNTY, May 31 .- A voice from the country ought to tell of cool breezes, green grass, and waiving wheat fields. but out of the abundance of the heart the mouth must speak, and the burden of the truthful tongue will be, this last day of May, of a heaven of brass, hot breaths from naked corn and wheat fields, and flocks and herds panting on dry pasture lands, for water, and green grass. We have fallen on the times predicted by the prophet Habakkuk, for a trial of our faith, and Washington should remain here forever, the enough cause to derange any woman's brain i it behooves us to hold fast to that mighty granary of all good things, for those who are steadfast in their belief of the promise and the bow. The Colorado bugs set a good example of

dilligence in an adopted profession; nothing daunts them, their motto is veni, vidi vici, and even the "infallible" Paris green does not throw a shadow on their pathway, or diminish their that other cases will be decided in a similar numbers. An experienced gardener declares a sharp instrument, which cleaves asunder head and body, the only salvation from the potato dsstroyer.

Our county town was thrown into great excitement last Friday, by the appearance of two old men, having in custody a boy, answering in every respect to the description of Charlie ing their little companion very closely. He was enraged his custodians. The party left Berryville Saturday morning, and on various suspicious items being retailed in the storeporch reunions, three young men started in pursuit, brought the old men and boy back, lodged them in jail, and telegraphed to the authorities in New York. A return telegram reports the presence of a brother of the unfortunate Charley, and a detective in Berryville to-morrow. In the meantime curiosity is at fever heat. When asked his name the boy replied, "Augustus," then said, "they won't let me tell." M.

### Letter from Rappahannock.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette. GAINES' CROSS ROADS, RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY, VA., June 2. - After the most spirited contest known in the county for many years, our elections have passed off amid much excitement. Mr. John R. Miller, well known and or the right of a State to withdraw from the universally esteemed, was elected Treasurer by Federal Union."

a large majority. Mr. C. Lillard was elected Sheriff.

The farmers are complaining much of the dry weather. The prospect for wheat is quite

CHARLEY Ross. - In a letter from Berryville, Clarke county, to the Baltimore Sun, the writer says:

"It is now understood that Mr. Ross can not come to Berryville by reason of sickness, but upon the reception of a photograph of the child, a friend of the family will be ou, provided any likeness to Charlie is discovered. The photograph has been sent to the friends of the COMPANY. - Officers of the Valley Railroad lost child. It is now, of course, not believed by any reflecting person, that there is any posnotice of a suit brought in the Circuit Court of sibility of restoring to the parents their lost Augusta county by the contractors forming the boy; but the excitement has not been without flowers of spring, and the clear waters of the the fall of the year 1803. The site is now oc its beneficial results. One old gentleman, who was about to step into the grave with rheumainterest and damages. The suit will be tried, tism, is now as lively as a youth of sixteen. Two or three gentlemen, who have known from the first that the boy here was Charlie Ross, seem more than ever to be convinced that they Frank Blair caused effects upon the General are right, especially since it is stated that the similar to intoxication. Upon investigation, father says it cannot possibly be his child, abode. the physicians discovered that the subject who They walk about town with the gravity of the

#### Mount Vernon.

Yesterday was a gala day at Mount Vernon,

it being the time set apart for the annual meeting of the Ladies' Mount Verson Association, and the Board of Visitors, and long will it be two steamers were joined by associations that remembered by all who were present. The steamer "Arrow" having on board a select company, left her wharf at this city at 11 o'clock a. m., having been detained in Washington ductor, engineer, fireman and one brakeman are half an hour behind her usual time to await the arrival of Geo. G. S. Meem, who was expected from Baltimore, but who having been delayed by an accident on the B. & P. R. R. made the journey from Washington overland, reaching Mount Version in time, however, to take charge of the arrangements for the reception of the visitors. As the little steamer neared her destination many glances were directed into the distant "smoky light" that formed the river's horizon to the point where the "Keyport" was expected with Gov. Kemper and other distinguished persons from Richmond, and soon that steamer appeared, her flags streaming in the wind, floating upon the water "like a thing ot life.

The Arrow having landed her passengers, steamed out to where the Keyport, which, owing to her draught, could not reach the wharf, was lying at anchor, and taking the Governor and his party on, landed them upon the memorable spot. With the Governor's party were many living descendants of illustrious families of "ye olden time," whose ancestors had been more or less intimately connected with the lame from the Spanish Bank has been returned, and and fortunes of Washington, or related to him by kindred ties. Among these were Miss Jennie Fairfax, a de

scendant of Lord Fairfax, who, when Governor of Virginia, had commissioned Washington, at the age of 18 years, a surveyor for the colony; the Lees, whose name is associated with his military glory; the Maurys, and the Washingtous. There were also present M. C. Kemper, son of and private secretary to the Gov ernor; Col. S. Bassett French and Col. W. S. Gilman, aids; the Board of Visitors - Licutenant Governor Henry W. Thomas, President; Judge Robert Ould, Gen. G. S. Meem, Gen. Fitzuugh Lee, and Major B. F. Rixey. Also, Col. James McDonald, Secretary of State of Virginia; Dr. Bagby, State Librariau; Dr. Wm. Palmer, of Richmond; J. C. Southall and wife, Judge Christian, wife and daughter, Maj. E. D. T. Myers, W. W. Corcoran, of Washingtou; Judge Cockerille, of Fairfax co., Va., and ladies; Gen. Dabney Maury, Judge Chas. B. Ball, of Loudoun county, Va.; Col. Richard Maury, Judge Charles E. Sinclair, Mrs. Robt. Ould, Miss Mary Lee, daughter of General R. E. Lee, Miss Lizzie Letcher, Captain John G. Meem, of Shenandoah; Miss Irving, granddaughter of Henry Clay; Miss Bettie Ward, of Kentucky; the Misses Dunlap, of Richmond; Mrs. Hammond, of South Carolina; Mrs. Judge Thomas, Misses Cockerille, Kinzer and Tebis and Ould, of this city, and many others. Of the Council of Regents there were pres-

ent Madame Berghman, Regent, from Pennsylvania; Mrs. A. Lucas Hunt, V. R., Missouri; Miss Emily Harper, V. R., Maryland; Mrs. M. A. Comegys, V. R., Delaware; Miss M. J. M. Sweat, V. R., Maine; Mrs. A. W. Chace, V. R., Rhode Island; Mrs. S. E. J. Hudson, V. R., Connecticut; Mrs. M. T. Barnes, V. R., District of Coumbin; Mrs. P. E. Eve, V. R., Georgia; Mrs. Judge Ball, V.R., Virginia; Mrs. L. W. Washington, V. R., West Virginia, and Mrs. General Emory, ex-V. R., District of Columbia.

After an hour spent in examining the grounds the party repaired to the Mansion, "a veneraafter which Mrs. Lewis Washington conducted the Governor and official visitors through the building, exhibiting and explaining the various objects of interest associated with the memory of Washington. The company were then invited to an elegant and bounteous repast, that had been prepared for their entertainment, after which all returned to the "West Parto the Governor, thanked him on behalf of the Regents for the interest he had exhibited presence had afforded them in the work which hey have in charge.

In reply, Gov. Kemper said that here the daughters of America, as vestal virgins, watch the fires at the sacred tomb of the father of America's freedom, the holiest of all the altars | was insane and that her best friends felt it was all revere are protected and held in reverence. As it had been determined that the dust of efforts of this association should receive all the Did I not see my husband assassinated before support the State, under his administration, my eyes? Have I not been homeless for could afford. He trusted the one hundredth | years, and have I not buried all my children anniversary of the independence of America with the exception of Robert? Do you wonwould give a new impetus to the grand objects | der that I am deranged?" of the association, and bring back the fervor of Washington's patriotism. The genius of Virginia was hovering over the sacred spot on which they stood to becken them on to renewed zeal and love of country. The ladies should receive all the aid it was in his power as Governor of the State to afford, and he thanked passed over him, causing his death. them in the name of the Commonwealth for the patriotic zeal they had exhibited in restoring and protecting the resting place of bim who bore the noblest name that ever adorned the diadem of a State.

Judge Thomas, on the part of the Board of Visitors, followed the Governor in a few appropriate remarks, in which he paid a merited tribute to the Regent and Vice Regents for the manner in which they were conducting their

trust. Gen. Fitz Lee was then introduced and said the Board, as Gen. Meem had said last year, were not there as a board of inquisition or censure, but to co-operate with the ladies in their noble efforts to preserve the tomb and protect the remains of him who was the father of our freedom. He said he commended the sentiment which had its late expression in a union of the blue and the gray at the decoration of the graves of those who fell in the last war. Here all the States unite in preserving the dust and doing honor to the memory of Washington. He saw in this the burial of all the an mosities of the past and a union of all who love the name of Washington. Once the countrymen of Washington were arrayed against each other. Hereafter, section with section will unite in pilgrimages to the Mecca of American liberty, the pride of the American people. He hoped equal rights and privileges, peace and prosperity would be preserved throughout the country.

Judge Robert Ould was then introduced and made some humorous and complimentary remarks. He said he was in favor of permitting the ladies to do just as they pleased with Mount Vernon. He once had some opinions of his own as to what was best for them to do in the management of the property, but he had been converted to the plans of the noble ladies, who, this visit satisfied him, understood what was best

for its protection and preservation. After the speeches the company dispersed about the grounds, but were soon summoned to take their departure by the shrill whistle of ture of the day, the vernal softness of the atmosphere, the broad lawns decked with the into the stream, together with beautiful vistas and winding solitudes that lead out in every direction, filled all with a sense of admiration selection of this spot as a resting place and

had furnished the blood had been on a bit of a spree the day before, and with the blood had been transferred some alcohol. It was a clear of drunk by proxy.

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Incomplete that the subject was lines was a sound town with the gravity of the house, fifty feet, (no land conveyed;) be determined that the Mansion there, embarked on have builded shall not be interferred with by the Arrow, which was soon alongside of the Court house, fifty feet, (no land conveyed;) be determined that the Mansion there, embarked on have builded shall not be interferred with by the Arrow, which was soon alongside of the Lodge.

Send for a Commonalty on paying the cost of the building the father of Charlie or any other man."

been transferred to that steamer, the boats parted, one going in the direction of the Capital of the late Confederacy, the other bound for the Capital of the Union, and yet, though separating, the hearts of those on board the

will live while memory lasts. For much of the comfort and many of the delights of the day the company were indebted to the kindness and politeness of Capt. Frank Hollingshead of the Arrow and Col. Hollingsworth, the Superintendent of the Grounds at Mount Vernon.

A SWINDLER. - On Friday, the 21st ultimo, a

man representing himself to be Mr. Davis, one of the contractors of the shoeshop in the Marvland penitentiary, came to the penitentiary in this city and made an offer for sixty unskilled convicts at once, and forty more to be taken in four months, for which he was to pay fifty cents per day, to work at the shoe business. The Board of Directors, the Superintendent, and the Governor, impressed with his gentlemanly appearance and knowledge of business, and thinking his offer a good one, did not hes itate to make a contract, which was duly Irawn up and signed. The preliminaries had consumed several days, and the bond and security were to have been given on May 27th; but neither he nor his bondsman have been heard of since. During his stay in the city he made the acquaintance of gentlemen connected with the penitentiary and others, who had full confidence in him, as he played his part very adroitly; and to require their trust he borrowed of several \$20 each, "to be handed back to-morrow, as he had telegraphed for money." After he had left so unceremoniously one of the muleted gentlemen wrote to Baltimore

about him, and received the following reply "Mr. Davis has not been in your city since last October. You have been swindled, probably, by an ex-convict (J. Peterson Price) from the Maryland penitentiary, who was released by pardon about one year ago, and who has at various times and localities represented himself as our agent, thereby obtaining money from different shoe-dealers in Virginia and North Carolina". - Richmond Dispatch.

THE COLORADO BUG. - This pest is preying upon the Irish potatoes. This plague needs prompt attention. Some are catching and killing these bugs. Others are sprinkling lime on and around the potato vines. Others are trying both of these remedies. Lime is unpleasant to them but does not kill promptly, if at all. We tried kerosene and it killed them in two minutes. Lime water and carbolic soapsuds also kills them quickly. We applied to some of our potato vines, yesterday morning about nine o'clock, kerosene oil, sprinkling it ike dew on the vines, and it destroyed the bugs. About the same time we, in like manner, sprinkled on other vines carbelic soapsuds, and it also destroyed the bugs, and at 3 p. m. the vines were unicjured either by the soapsuds or kerosene. We believe that the soapsuds is a cheap and prompt remedy and expect the lime water to prove as good. The dryslacked dry lime does not kill them .- Char lottesville Jeffersonian.

THE BOUNDARY LINE COMMISSION. - We understand that the questions connected with the disputed boundary between Maryland and Virginia are likely to receive an early solution, as the counsel in the case are actively engaged in preparation for its submission to the referces, who are Judge Black of Pennsylvania, Governor Graham of North Carolina and Governor Jenkins of Georgia. A. B. Magruder, esq., a member of the bar of Baltimore, has been designated by the authorities of the respective ble pile," where a formal reception took place, States as commissioner to take the testimony in the case. - Balt. Sun.

at La Crosse, Wis., where fifty Winnebago Indians, having complied with the law in abandoning their tribal relations and adopting the customs of civilization, made their appearance at the Land Office and proceeded to enter lor," where Madame Berghman, advancing forty acres of land each under the Homestead act. The land is located near the Black River Falls, Wis., and the Indians will at once occuin Mount Vernon, and the encouragement his py their new possessions, where they will creet farm houses, establish schools, and generally cast off the generic habits of their race.

WHEN a life-long friend of Mrs. Lincoln went WHEN a life-long friend of Mrs. Lincoln went to her last week, and told her plainly that she was insane and that her best friends felt it was June 3.

Style of carrying on the investigation will be rully explained to the City Council.

June 3.

T. V. RISHEILL. f the world. Here the ashes of the dead we best she should go to an asylum, the unfortunate woman said: "It may be so; and what if it is so, what wonder is it? Have not I had

> KILLED. - Joseph Hewitt, aged 13 years, of OR SOUTH. Staunton, was killed on Friday last by being run over by the cars. He attempted to jump on the cars while in motion, and missing his footing, fell under a car, the wheels of which

TOBACCO.-The breaks at the warehouses yesterday were very fair and the sales were not concluded until late in the afternoon. The tobacco was generally of pretty fair quality and the prices were fully sustained for all grades offering. - Lynchburg News.

#### To the Friends of the Bible Cause in Virginia.

The Alexandria Bible Society, auxiliary to the Virginia Bible Society, represented by the undersigned, would make this their annual appeal to the churches and private friends of the above cause for aid in furnishing means to thoroughly distribute the Word of God to the destitute through the entire breadth and length of the Commonwealth.

We quote in this connection the language of the General Agent in Richmond, contained in a communication to this Society under date May 27th, 1875:

"We are greatly pressed now to keep the work alive; the demand for Bibles is even greater than ever before. I get almost bewildered by the applications for grants, when it is quite impossible to help them all. Since Arril we have sent out over 3,000 Bibles and Testa-

Seeing this we hope that a ready and liberal response will come from those who have this blessed cause at heart, and desire the spread of the Gospel of Jesus.

Contributions for this object can be sent or handed to either of us. E. F. WITMER, President.

G. H. Robinson, Treasurer. JAS. ENTWISLE, JR, Secretary. Alexandria, Va., June 31, 1875. [COMMUNICATED.

OLD ALEXANDRIA WASHINGTON LODGE

ROOM. - The original lodge room was on Union,

between Prince and Duke streets, at Hilton's, or Union Tavern, a three story building, with a high porch in front. A school was kept in the steamer, though they were loathe to leave said house after it ceased to be occupied as a such a pleasant spot. The delightful tempera- tavern, and a late old resident, when a boy, went to school there-this gentleman, the late William Woolls, said the house was burned in river reflecting upon their glassy bosom images cupied by a boiler shop, No. 55. By reference of lofty oaks that extended their shadows far to the land records, liber B, folio 251, it will be seen that on January 7, 1802, the Mayor and Commonalty of Alexandria, conveyed to William Maffett, Elisha C. Dick, George for that judgment and taste which dictated the Beneale, Jonathan Swift, Guy Atkinson, selection of this spot as a resting place and and John Johnson, on behalf of Washington Lodge No. 22, the privilege of building on the The whole party, with the exception of the piers of the new market house, at the end of

### COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, June 3 .- Wheat is quiet and unchanged; offerings of 528 bushels, with sales of white at 133, and red at 122, 125. 132 and 133-latter for strictly prime. Corn is firmer, and prices are a shade better; offerings of 544 bushels, with sales of white at 86, and mixed at 84 and 85.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, JUNE 3, 75. Sun rose...... 4 39 | Moon sets...... 0 00 Sun sets ...... 7 18 | High water ...... 0 00

ARRIVED.

Steamer Express, Baltimore, to Jos Broders & Co. She reports two light schooners, bound up, at the mouth of the river; and one light three-master, bound up, ashore on St. George's Island, woll up on the flats. Her arrival was delayed several hours by heavy freights for the river landings—so heavy that some freight for this city had to be left in Baltimore.

Schr Mary Price, New York, to Knox & Irvin. Schr Nellie C Payne, New London, to W A

Schrs Ada J Bonner, Clyde and Mollie A Hand, for Georgetown.
Schr Nixon, Bangor, and Gilbert Green, Plymouth, N. C., for Washington.

SAILED. Steamer Jane Moseley, Norfolk, by F A Schr Warren Sawyer, New Bedford, by American Coal Co. Schr Earl P Mason, Providence, by American Coal Co. Schr B Stokeley, Washington, by J H D

Georgetown. MEMORANDA.

Schrs W D Marvel and Maggie A Fisk, from

Schr J M Harlow, hence at New York 1st. Schr C W Holmes, hence, at Richmond 1st. Schr Wm Oliver, hence, at Richmond 2d.

Smoot.

### CANAL COMMERCE.

Arrived-Boats Mrs C E Charles and J R Purcell, via Rock creek, to Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co; Wyand Lærner. W E Bell, Ed Bayer, Sam'l Lloyd, Chas Robb and G E Porter, to American Coal Co; F Mertins, A Sherman and J T Dixon & Co, to J P Agnew.
Departed—Boats J L Reid, T L Betts, Kate,
Jno P Moore, G P Lloyd, M Kersey, Shipley
& Boush, T H Faile, W J Boothe, W E Bell,
and Wyand Dærner, for Cumberland.

#### DIED.

On Wednesday afternoon, at four o'clock, MARY ALEXINA, wife of Norman H. Moore, in the 26th year of her age. A Her funer.l will take place from the Union Presbyterian Church to morrow [Friday] afternoon, at three

At his residence, Montpelier, Loudoun co., Va., on the 13th of May, 1875, LUDWELL LUCKETT, in the 80th year of his age.

### In the published proceedings of the Board of

Aldermen I find two allusions to me-the first by Dr. Johnson, which does not annoy me; but the remarks of Dr. French require of me an explanation. He stated "he had been present at two meetings of the committee, and having heard the evidence of the witnesses, was perfectly satisfied, as was Mr. Blythe, that the charges and no foundation, and could not be sustained." I state positively that the only charge upon which evidence was taken was that made by Robert Portner, that Carter had given him two lines for his Washington street front. The evidence has proven that fact. Yet the committee will not agree to make a report to that effect for the reason that the "City Council have nothing to do with a question of veracity between Carter and Portner." I did say I was willing to "drop the matter," but I have nothing to do with dropping it. I do not make the charges; good citizens of the city make them. I only ask that they may be investigated. I sincerely hope that Carter will be acquitted; but if I am alone I will not agree to whitewash the case. Mr. Portnsists that he is in the dar AN INTERESTING EVENT transpired on Friday | ence to his line. All he asks is that the true line be given him, and it is the duty of the City Council to do it. Dr. French says "we are in-competent to try the case." We are not incompetent to take evidence, and the resolution of mine only required the committee to report the evidence to Council. I am sorry to see a disposition to choke or defeat investigations. I am certain more of them would prove beneficial. I think it was Dr. French who proposed that a competent engineer be employed to go over those lines—I mean Portner's and Columbus st. -in order to settle the question. I know that Mr. Hopkins said that that was the only way in which to arrive at a verdict. The manner and

ORKNEY SPRINGS, VA.,

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The waters have an established reputation for their wonderful curative powers. The Springs are numerous, and of great variety, viz: Sulphur, Healing, Sulphate of Iron and Magnesium, Chalybeate (Carbonate of Iron.) &c

Terms of board per day \$2.50; per week \$15; per month of 28 days \$50. Circulars will be found at E. J. Miller & Co's China Store, 65 King st., Alexandria, Virginia.

WARNING TO MERCHANTS, LIQUOR DEALERS, HUCKSTERS, BUTCH-ERS AND OTHERS.

All persons interested are hereby notified that the STATE LICENSES for 1874 expired on the 30th day of April last. All persons, therefore, now engaged in busi-

ness requiring a license, who have not obtained new certificates for the year 1875 from the Commissioner of the Revenue and paid to the City Treasurer the amount assessed against them, are guilty before the law or transacting business without license, and hable to the penalty affixed, viz: the payment of double the amount of li

TREASURER'S NOTICE I WILL be at my office daily from 9 o'clock a. m. to 3 p. m. All persons who have not paid thair license tax by the 15th day of June will be proceeded against as the law requires. W. D. CORSE, City Treasurer. Cilice 59 King street.

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